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Subject: RE: EPA article highlighting new(ish) CRADA



Great! Thank you for your work on our intra-internet sites. I hope Jacques comes up with suggestions for how to use the quite restrictive internet platform in an exciting way. HA

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Hi all,

I added the Aeroqual piece posted on Science Matters and the Metals PDF to our Intranet site. It is a lot easier to do what we like on that platform. https://intranet.ord.epa.gov/ftta/home

The WaterGen press release can be discussed on tomorrows call. As far as the Internet site, I'm still waiting to hear from Jacques. Internet can be so annoying with all the restrictions, but I informed him that we are looking for something that will jump out and not be buried within the information that is already there. I proposed a banner at the top and asked for any other solutions that we may be able to utilize to showcase these collaborative accomplishments.

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Let's keep all these examples in mind for our FTTA and the EPA strategic plan meeting on Thursday.

Re: WaterGen on our website – I think we should discuss at Thursday's FLO meeting. Could someone please add to the agenda? Thank you.

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Yes, we will get this link on our websites. Ronny is going to work with Jacques to see what we can do on the internet page given format limitations there. At the least, we can create a new page to highlight 'what's new' type info.

We also have a couple of other CRADAs that the labs have highlighted recently, which we can link to. One is for a multi-party CRADA with various metals associations: https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2018-01/documents/metals-crada-summary-2018.pdf

And then there is Water Gen... Do we want to put a link to that one on our website also? https://www.epa.gov/newsreleases/administrator-pruitt-announces-cooperative-research-and-development-agreement

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Hi Kathleen,

I love these articles! We can certainly use this as an example for the FTTA helping to meet EPA strategic plan write-up. Do we have a link to one or both articles on our FTTA site? If not, can we have one on the internet site, please.

Thank you!

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Both EPA and Aeroqual have articles highlighting a CRADA that was signed at the end of November, 2017. We, the Lab, and OGC reviewed the language before the articles were posted.

https://www.epa.gov/sciencematters/epa-combines-expertise-new-zealand-company-advance-air-sensor-technologies

https://www.aeroqual.com/us-epa-and-aeroqual-will-work-together

(incidentally, OGC is weighing in on the use of EPA's logo on Aeroqual's site.)

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